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ATTENTION: Hazardous Waste Exports

Gentlemen:

The purpose of this letter is to comply with 40 CFR 262.56 and 262.87(a) Annual Reporting, and offer the following information as requested:

Exporter	1) Arkansas Steel Associates, L.L.C. Facility ID# ARD091691261 2803 Van Dyke Road Newport, Arkansas 72112
Calendar Year	2) Calendar year covered by this report, 2014
Foreign Consignee	3) Zinc Nacional, S.A. Serafin Pena Sur 938 Monterrey N.L. Mexico 64000
Waste Description	4) Flue dust, Iron or Steel containing Recoverable zinc. EPA Hazardous Waste Code K-061 DOT Hazard Class ORM-E UN 3077, Class 9, PGIII, ERG #171, U.S. EPA ID# of transporter, NED001792910, (U.P. Railroad). Total amount of waste shipped in 2014 8,758,600 lbs. and total number of shipments were 51.
Toxicity Volume	5) Toxicity has not changed as compared to previous years. 2011 average zinc content was 18.23%. 2012 average zinc content was 18.11%. 2013 average zinc content was 17.38%. 2014 average zinc content 16.19%.

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Toxicity

These slight changes occur due to variations in the scrap (raw material) mix in the melting process of steel.

Volume


Volume has decreased by 162,600 lbs. in 2014, as compared to 2013, K-061 flue dust is generated through the normal production process of steel in electric arc furnaces and controlled solely by production demands of steel facilities products.

No efforts were undertaken to reduce the volume of toxicity as there is no technology currently known to achieve this; however, recycling the material has been chosen as the most environmentally sound method available to Arkansas Steel Associates, L.L.C.

Certification

- 6) I certify under penalty of law that I have personally examined and am familiar with the information submitted in this and all attached documents, and that based on my inquiry of those individuals immediately responsible for obtaining the information, I believe that the submitted information, is true and accurate, and complete. I am aware that there are significant penalties for submitting false information including possibility of fine and imprisonment.

Sincerely,



Billy E. Ferguson  
Manager, Environment



Tadashi Inami  
President

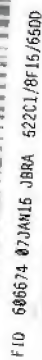
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	City	NEWPORT		State	AR
				Zip	72112-9755
		Dept./Room/Suite/Room			

3 To Recipient's Name Jean Shaw Phone 202 564-7111

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1. The first step in the process of developing a business plan is to conduct a thorough market research. This involves identifying the target market, understanding their needs and preferences, and analyzing the competitive landscape. Market research can be conducted through various methods, including surveys, interviews, and focus groups.

2. Once the market research is complete, the next step is to develop a clear and concise business plan. This plan should outline the company's mission, vision, and goals, as well as the strategies and tactics for achieving them. It should also include a detailed financial plan, including a budget and a forecast of revenue and expenses.

3. The third step in the process is to secure financing. This involves identifying potential sources of capital, such as banks, venture capitalists, and angel investors, and presenting the business plan to them. It is important to have a solid understanding of the financial requirements of the business and to be able to articulate the value proposition to potential investors.

4. The final step in the process is to launch the business. This involves implementing the strategies and tactics outlined in the business plan, and monitoring the progress of the business. It is important to have a flexible and adaptable business plan that can be adjusted as the business evolves.

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